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16600 November 16, 2010

Cascade Natural Gas Corporation Attn: A. Krebsbach c/o CT Corporation Systems 1801 West Bay Drive NW Suite 205 Olympia, WA 98502

Dear Sir or Madam:

I have determined that the intent of the Administrative Order issued to you on October 20th, 2010, directing you to take appropriate response actions for the release of Manufactured Gas Plant coal tar creosote waste into the mid tidal zone of Sinclair Inlet, has been met. The Administration Order is hereby rescinded.

Should site conditions change warranting another time critical response to protect the marine habitat or human health and safety, another Administrative Order may be issued, as deemed appropriate by me. Your cooperation and diligence in assembling a professional and timely response to this incident were greatly appreciated. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

Captain, U.S. Coast Guard

Federal On Scene Coordinator

Copy: Washington State Department of Ecology

Commander, Thirteenth Coast Guard District (drm) United States Environmental Protection Agency Kitsap County Department of Public Health